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## **City Sets Special Golf Rate For Fall Season**

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(September 15, 2004- TROY)- As the air becomes a little crisper, Mayor Harry Tutunjian announced Monday that the City of Troy is offering a special to weekday golfers at Frear Park Golf Course. From 8 a.m. to noon on Monday through Friday, golfers can get a great deal at the newly improved course.

For just \$22, golfers can enjoy 18 holes of the Robert Trent Jones course, complete with a cart on any weekday morning. Earlier this year, Tutunjian hired a Golf Superintendent to oversee the maintenance of the course, which has long been described as lackluster from those who play it. The result has been an extremely well manicured course that people from around the Capital District have enjoyed playing. Tutunjian said Monday that this rate will help out the number of rounds, and get the message out that Frear Park is open for business.

“All you have to do is know one golfer to realize that just because summer is over, does not mean that golf season is,” Tutunjian said. “I want to make sure that every golfer in the Capital District is aware that Frear Park is open, and that you can get a fantastic deal if you play on a weekday morning.”

Rounds and money collected at the golf course is up this year, and Tutunjian is hoping that the City can set a record for the number of rounds played.

“That would be nice to see,” Tutunjian said. “Several years ago the City Council allocated \$100,000 to fix the tee boxes on the course. That has paid off nicely. We just need to continue to spread the word about the course and bring in new people.”